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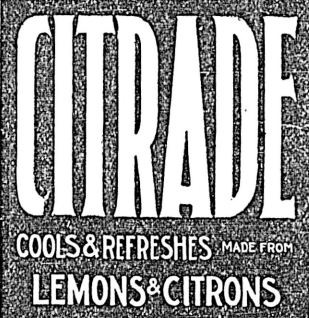
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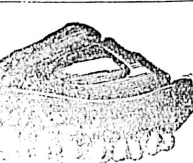
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Fired on The Mob

Wild Attempt at Ashville, Alabama to Lynch a Condemned Negro.

Sheriff Warned the Crowd and Then Stood Siege in Court House.

Several of the Assailants Shot in the Fight That Followed.

Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 22.—A staff correspondent of the Birmingham News-telegraph from Ashville, St. Clare county, today, saying that in a battle which occurred there at 1 o'clock between Sheriff North's posse and a mob of 400 men, who were seeking to lynch James Brown, a negro from Springfield, three men were wounded, two fatally.

The mob dispersed for the time being. Brown was tried at a special term of court this morning and sentenced to be hanged on September 20. The trial lasted two hours and the jury was out eleven minutes. When it became known that the court had directed the sheriff to take the prisoner back to Birmingham for safe-keeping, a mob surrounded the court house, where Brown was being guarded by Sheriff North and deputies. The mob demanded the prisoner and the sheriff informed them that he would shoot the first man that put his foot on the court house steps.

In a few minutes one of the mob dashed up the steps firing a revolver. A general fusillade followed. The sheriff's force fired through the windows and doors and the mob retreated firing as they went.

Walter Blankenship was shot through the head. Arthur Blankenship was shot in the head and shoulders with buckshot. Both will die. A boy named Hamby was shot in the head. Owing to heavy rain, the mob sought shelter in nearby stores. The sheriff is still in communication with the governor in order to get troops. Another attack on the court house is feared.

NOT YET SIGNED.

Chinese Emperor Slow About Replying to His Officials.

Peking, Aug. 22.—The Chinese peace commissioners have not yet signed the settlement protocol. Prince Ching, president of the foreign office, telegraphed to the Emperor requesting an edict empowering him to sign, but no reply was received. He telegraphed again today in strong terms and says he expects a speedy answer. Li Hung Chang has had a serious attack of sickness, the result of over-exertion in connection with the conference. He is better today.

SIR GEORGE BURTON DEAD.
He Was Formerly Justice of Supreme Court of Ontario.

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 22.—(Special.)—Sir George Burton, formerly Chief Justice of the Court of Appeal, died at Sandwich, England, in 1898, and came to Canada in 1896. He was appointed to the Ontario bar in 1842, was appointed a judge of the Court of Appeal in 1874, and Chief Justice and president of the Supreme court of Judicature of Ontario in 1897.

COBBLEDOCK MINE.
Ore Body Struck on Four Hundred Foot Level.

Vancouver, Aug. 22.—(Special.)—The ore body in the Cobblecock mine, Phillips Arm, has been struck in the thousand foot drift at a depth of 400 feet, making the fourth tunnel to tap the ore. There has been little newspaper talk about this big proposition, but an enormous amount of work has been done to prove up the property. The vein is said to be over 100 feet wide.

ANOTHER RAILWAY.
South Shore Road to be Extended to Atlantic Coast.

Montreal, Aug. 22.—(Special.)—The first steps have been taken by prominent New York capitalists to secure a through line from Montreal to the Atlantic seaboard. They have acquired control of the South Shore Railway, and at a meeting today an issue of bonds sufficient to continue the line to Point Levis was authorized.

HARVEY STEEL COMPANY.
Meeting of Two Corporations Agree to Amalgamation.

London, Aug. 22.—Meetings of the Harvey Steel Company of Great Britain and the Harvey United Steel Co. agreed to the sale of the companies to the Harvey United Steel Company. It is understood that a New Jersey company is actively interested in the consolidation.

KILLED IN ACTION.
Lieut. Cyril Moore of Baden-Powell Constabulary Dead.

Winnipeg, Aug. 22.—(Special.)—News has reached here of the death in action near Harmsmith, South Africa, of Lt. Cyril Moore, of the Baden-Powell Constabulary, a son of Col. J. G. Moore, of this city.

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CRIMINAL STATISTICS.

Report for Dominion Issued—Mr. Fisher and the Census.

Ottawa, Aug. 22.—(Special.)—The annual report of criminal statistics for the Dominion has just been issued and shows 5,767 convictions for indictable offences, an increase of 55 over last year. Of these, British Columbia had 489, as against 370 the previous year, the largest increase. The Yukon had an increase of 9 per cent.

Of the 41,617 summary convictions, 1,900 are put down to Yson. Hon. Sydney Fisher is investigating the census of 1891, by sending schedules of that census to places where the diminution of population is large for revision, these schedules being taken from the department without proper means being taken for prevention of falsification by irresponsible parties to whom they are sent. It is impossible to see how these parties can say who was and who was not living in the said districts ten years ago.

A meeting of the railway committee of the Privy council will be held September 5.

KILLED AT EXTENSION.
Coal Falls on Miner and Crushes His Life Out.

Nanaimo, B. C., Aug. 22.—(Special.)—Matt Laapakka, a Finlander, was killed in a tunnel extension today by coal falling on him. He leaves a wife and two children. He was about 35 years of age.

Constitution Is Beaten

Columbia Walks Away From Proposed Challenger in Easy Style.

Conditions Were Those Thought to Be Favorable to the New Boat.

Oyster Bay, Aug. 22.—The Columbia gave the Constitution a good sound beating today twice around the Sewanhaka triangular course. On corrected time, the old boat won by two minutes and 57 seconds, and on elapsed time, by one minute 19 seconds. But the figures do not represent the decisiveness of the Columbia's victory, for as a matter of fact, she beat the new boat twice.

The first time around the triangle of 13 1/2 miles she gained over 5 minutes. Then a whiff of wind on the short leg across the sound put the Constitution upon even terms, when a new race was practically started, the wind now coming true again. This time the Columbia gained over a minute and a fifth. It was a day of fluky sound breeze, but if either boat got any advantage from the changes in the wind, it was the Constitution. It was at no time a white-cap breeze, and the sea was in smooth condition, which always favored the Constitution. The new boat did not seem to have any of the speed she has shown in light air. She was sluggish on the starting line, and although the yacht crossed almost at the same minute with a one-gun start, the Columbia romped off and took a lead of an eighth of a mile, while the Constitution was gathering way.

To be sure, the Constitution was trying a new mainsail and drew very badly during the first round, but it kept going better and better, and for the last fifteen miles of the course was drawing very well.

Then, too, the club topsail was almost useless in the windward work. But all this does not account for her defeat, even on the last leg of the race in a close run for the home mark, while both boats had exactly the same wind and the Constitution's sails were apparently drawing for all they were worth, the Columbia added over a minute on her last lap. With the international contest less than a month away today's race opens the whole cup defender proposition and the yachtsmen are guessing again.

The two boats will start again over the same course on Saturday. This will be their last race before the trials at Newport.

THE SEASON'S SALMON PACK

Fraser River Cannery Expect to Reach Million Mark—Tin Cleared Out.

From Our Own Correspondent.
Vancouver, Aug. 22.—H. V. Winch, formerly part proprietor of the Anacortes cannery, has returned to the city from a business trip to the cannery. He says that there are 750,000 cases up on the Sound and no more sockeyes; that the price of the Puget Sound sockeyes are \$4 a case; \$5 cents a dozen for halves, \$1 for pound tins and \$1.25 for flats.

Up to last night there were \$40,000 cases up on the Fraser, and as there are still a large number of fish on the river, the million mark will no doubt be reached.

The Pacific Coast pack has used up every can in the country and every shed of tin. All supplies have been cleaned out and all outstanding accounts with the fishermen have been paid in full. Many of the white fishermen desire to discontinue fishing and receive all moneys due them. The cannery men are keeping many of them at work with difficulty. The Japs seem willing to keep at it until the fish is gone.

THE CZAR.
Belgian Story That he Will Intervene in South Africa.

Brussels, Aug. 22.—The Independence Belge today prints a despatch from Copenhagen, which says: "It is currently reported in Russian circles that the Czar has decided to branch South Africa intervention to Emperor William, and President Loubet, for friendly mediation."

Frenchman And Turk

Officials at Paris Are Reluctant and Ominous Rumors Are Set Afloat.

Sultan's Ambassador Absent, Subordinates Appear to Be Indifferent.

Approaching Visit of Czar Diverts Attention From More Serious Question.

Paris, Aug. 22.—According to the foreign office officials this afternoon there is no news and no change in the Turkish situation. It was noticeable that the officials were more reticent than yesterday. While reasserting that no naval demonstration is contemplated, they refuse to confirm or deny the truth of the news contained in special despatches, saying that three battleships and a cruiser which arrived at Toulon this morning are taking coal and provisions on board. They said they had no information on the subject. Perhaps it is not lacking in significance that M. Deschamps, president of the chamber of deputies, who was attending the council-general at Chartres, suddenly went to Rambouillet this morning to see President Loubet, and also that M. Delcasse, the minister of foreign affairs, returns to Paris tomorrow to attend a special meeting of the cabinet, which it is asserted, to arrange the programme for the reception and entertainment of the Czar.

In the meanwhile the Turkish ambassador, Munir Bey, is absent, and at the Turkish embassies only minor officials are visible. They assume an air of absolute indifference and ignorance of the whole matter.

Most of the diplomatists are away for the summer holidays, hence it is difficult to obtain a consensus of opinion. Talking to the correspondent of the Associated Press, one of the oldest officials who has been connected with the diplomatic corps for over twenty-five years, said:

"The Sultan's hand contains one trump just now. It is unlikely that France will run the risk of opening the question on the eve of the Czar's visit."

The newspapers here under the influence of the overwhelming joy at the Czar's approaching visit, are paying scant attention to Constantinople, and generally are taking the view that the matter will soon be settled to France's satisfaction.

The coming of the Czar is causing intense satisfaction throughout the country. The council-general are now sitting and even those in which the opponents of the government are in the majority are passing resolutions warmly congratulating President Loubet and the ministry on the occasion of the Czar's visit, which is regarded as a happy result of the government's foreign policy.

The Temps, official organ, has a note this afternoon on the lines of the interview which the correspondent of the Associated Press obtained yesterday with a high official of the foreign office, saying: "The rupture is yet only the personal act of M. Delcasse (the French ambassador at Constantinople), and will only become officially complete if the Sultan persists in his present attitude; in which case, as Munir Bey is absent from France, it will only be necessary to notify him not to return until diplomatic relations are resumed."

Tramp Killed Near Mission—Hurt by Hand Car—Travelers' Leg Broken.

Vancouver, Aug. 22.—(Special.)—A one-legged tramp named George Richardson was killed on Tuesday near Mission. He boarded the train coming from Seattle, getting on the back-beams under the cars. He lost his balance and was dragged and rolled over the ties. The train was stopped, the fireman hearing his cries. He was strangled alive when picked up, but died shortly afterwards.

C. H. Horton, a Massachusetts commercial traveler, stepped off the train bound for Vancouver near Sumas station, when the train was moving fast. He was violently thrown on the track, but escaped with a fractured leg.

Tony, an Italian workman, was injured on the C. P. R. track yesterday by being run into by a hand car.

VENEZUELA AND COLOMBIA.
Report of an Expedition That Is Backed by Venezuela.

Willemstad, Curacao, Aug. 22.—Venezuelan steamers have transported 800 men from Maracaibo and Coro, under command of Gen. Davila, who defeated and captured Gen. Hernandez, to invade Colombia, near the Rio Hacha, and to support Gen. Uribe Uribe. The Venezuelan authorities have also sent ammunition to that point. Gen. Juan Pizarro, leader of a revolutionary movement that was about ready to start, was captured near Magdalena, in the state of Carabobo, while on his way to Orono Kuaraco. On being taken to Caracas, he was immediately set at liberty by order of President Castro.

BACK AGAIN.
Tax Collector Gets Back Home and All Is Forgiven.

Rollerite, Aug. 22.—(Special.)—Tax Collector Butterfield, who disappeared about three months ago, has returned to the city. His shortage, which was about \$17,500, has been made up.

EDITOR DEAD.
He Founded First German Paper in Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Aug. 22.—(Special.)—Heary Brueggemann, founder of Winnipeg's German paper, Der Nordwesten, is dead at San Diego, Cal.

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STEEL STRIKE.

No Special Developments in the Situation For Day.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 22.—Aside from the partial equipment of the Star plant of the American Tin Plate Co. and the preparation for its immediate resumption of business, there were no special developments in the strike situation in this city today. No further trouble occurred at the Pennsylvania Tube Works and at all other strike points, quiet reigns. The incident at the Star plant this morning is given as an example of special significance, and to use an Amalgamated official's expression shows that the men have been educated to the knowledge that their strongest weapon in such cases is silence and submission until it is demonstrated that the mills cannot be operated successfully without the aid of skilled men now on strike.

The steel men on the other hand are highly pleased with their success in manning the Star plant, and say that if the men they secure are not molested, it will be only a short time until all of their mills will be in full operation and doing good work. While the strikers claim that four of the new men at the Star plant have deserted the company, and say that others would leave if they could get out of the mill, Superintendent Harper maintains that he has 100 men at work, that none have deserted, and that the men can go and come from the mills as they please. Mr. Harper says that the plant will be in smooth running order tonight, and he apprehends no further difficulty in its operation.

The Painter mill has 250 men at work, and the management expects to be running full handed by next week.

Two mills are being operated at the Lindsay and McCutcheon plant. No sign of a break in the Carnegie upper and lower iron plans made its appearance today.

McKeesport is still completely tied up, but an attempt may be made to start the Denninger Tin Works tonight with men secured from outside points. At the American Tin Plate Company gained another victory today by the successful start of one of the rolls. There are said to be enough men in the plant to man one mill one turn, and the company officials say they will get back the men, they will get back the men.

ARE AMERICAN CITIZENS.

Chinese Born in Honolulu Have Same Rights as White.

Honolulu, Aug. 14, via San Francisco, Aug. 22.—United States Judge Estes has rendered a decision in which he declares that all the Chinese born in the Hawaiian Islands are American citizens, no matter what government they were born under.

Arrangements have been made by Territorial Treasurer Wright whereby the outstanding warrants that are outstanding will all be paid by borrowing \$150,000 from two local banks.

A special meeting of the Planters' Association has been called to discuss the labor question. There is a shortage of labor throughout the group. No more negroes are wanted as they have not proved good workmen, and have been very troublesome.

The plumbers' strike, which has been in progress for over a year, has been amicably settled. The plumbers demanded \$6 a day. A compromise was effected at \$5.50 a day.

A deal is said to be on between the White Steamship Company and the Inter-Island Steam Navigation Company, to consolidate the two companies. They have control of nearly all the inter-island passenger and freight traffic, running about 25 steamers.

The question of the constitution and the flag is not yet settled in Hawaii as applicable to criminal matters. The Supreme court has just begun a special term to consider the cases of a number of prisoners released by the Circuit court on the ground that they were illegally convicted, because, after annexation they were found guilty and sentenced on verdicts of nine jurors. The Supreme court here heard lengthy arguments on the question yesterday. There are about 25 convicted men whose cases depend on the decision of the question, and civil interests are also at stake.

CLAIM A VICTORY.

Liberal Party in Colombia Say They Have Won Important Fight.

New York, Aug. 22.—Dr. Restrepo, diplomatic agent of the Liberal party, now attempting to take possession of the government in Colombia, received a despatch today from the Liberal agent at Quito, announcing another battle with the government forces. The despatch was as follows: "Quito, Aug. 20.—The expected battle near Pasto was fought on Saturday, the 17th, and the Liberal generals, Legio Perez and Rosas, won a triumph over the clericals. Through his secretary, Dr. Restrepo explained that Pasto, where the battle was reported to have been fought, was in the extreme southern part of Colombia, 200 miles from where Gen. Uribe Uribe was operating, and that it indicated a successful execution of the plans of campaign mapped out by Gen. Uribe Uribe and forwarded to the commander in chief of the Liberal forces before the general left New York early in the summer.

SLOCAN MINING SALE.

Best Taken Up and Payment Made for Speculator Group.

Nelson, Aug. 22.—The Rio Wilbith Mining Company of San Francisco, has taken up the bond on the Speculator group near Slocan City, paying \$49,000 to the vendors. The group includes five claims upon which there is a very good showing. They adjoin the well known Arlington group, which is being worked by the same company.

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the Diamond at Oak Bay
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The team which is to represent Victoria in the great match at New Westminster on Saturday with the lacrosse champions has been selected, and is even stronger than the team which played the Royal City men to a standstill in this city last month. Lorimer has been removed to outside home, which position he is much better suited for, and his place in inside home is to be taken by Spain, who if he plays in his old form, will be a tower of strength to the Victorians. E. Burns will be back in his old place on the defence field, he having again taken up his residence in Victoria. As for the players, the lacrosse with the Vancouver Y. M. C. A. during the early part of the season, much is expected of him. The other players are the same who took part in the last match with New Westminster, the team being as follows: Goal, Norman; point, C. Cullin; cover point, E. Milne; defence field, F. Cullin, E. Burns and Jesse; centre, Macdonell; home field, Smith, Tite and Wilson; outside home, Lorimer; inside home, Spain; reserves, Main and Lismore; field captain, W. E. Ditchburn.

LACROSSE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Toronto Telegram Recognizes British
Columbia's Claim to Take Part.

In connection with the lacrosse championship, the Toronto Telegram says:

"The British Columbia claims are evincing a strong partiality for that Minto cup, and according to an Ottawa despatch now have a man on the way east to try and arrange a game for it to take place in British Columbia. What this man wants is to depend on the inducements he can offer, and they will have to be great indeed to induce any eastern league champions to pack their tinware and depart for the coast; in fact they would almost have to include a guarantee that the holders of the cup would be allowed to retain it no matter how the game might result. After last summer's experience the fast eastern players know how dangerous it is to play anything but 'exhibition' games with the far western folk."

"However, there is a chance that the British Columbia folk may get some eastern lacrosse this fall at much less than the price they generally have to pay for it. Brantford has a team that the natives are rather proud of, and it is in a fair way of winning the C. L. A. championship. If it does, Manager Fred Westbrook is figuring on a trip that will take in the entire western country. Games will be arranged at Salt Ste. Marie, Copperhill, Sudbury, Leamington, London, New Westminster, Victoria, Vancouver and Nanaimo. And if the trip is finally arranged, the western people need not be afraid that the visitors will play fast enough lacrosse. They are today one of the strongest and most aggressive aggregations of lacrosse talent in Canada."

TENNIS AT VANCOUVER.

Miss Goward and Cornwall Eligible for
Semi-Finals.

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 22.—(Special.)—In the tennis tournament today, Miss Bauer defeated Miss Goward; R. R. Powell defeated Farquhar in the hand-pump singles; Miss Goward and R. T. Cornwall won in the mixed doubles, and are eligible for the semi-finals.

WILL TRY AGAIN.

Victoria Lawyer Ball Team Return
From Their Trip.

The members of the lawyers' baseball team who returned from their trip last evening are determined in the match to be played at the Oak Bay grounds on Saturday afternoon to wipe out the defeat they suffered on Wednesday. The fact that it required ten innings to decide the game, and that it was a guarantee that a close and exciting game will be seen here.

ONTARIO MATCHES.

British Columbia Men Did Not Make
Any Top Scores.

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 22.—(Special.)—The meeting of the Ontario Lacrosse Association closed this evening. The weather in the early part of the day was foggy, delaying the commencement of the shooting. Later on it cleared up, and the remainder of the day was bright and favorable with a twelve mile breeze. The first prize in the Ladies' Challenge Cup, City of Toronto match, with a score of 114.

Tait-Braney event. First individual prize, \$25, won by Capt. Hutcheson, 43rd Regiment, with a score of 38. Tait Challenge Cup for battalion teams; won by 13th Regiment, with a score of 546; Tenth Regiment Grenadiers, second, with 535.

Col. Mitchell, R. L., won the Elkington cup in the Mallock aggregate with a score of 303; Capt. Hutcheson, 43rd Regiment, second, 201.

British Columbia men were pretty well up in the lists of various events, but did not get very near the top scores.

HER FIRST SPIN.

Shamrock II. Has a Short Run in New
York Harbor.

New York, Aug. 22.—Sir Thomas Lipton's new challenger for the America Cup, Shamrock II., was out for a spin in New York harbor today, and although it only lasted about 90 minutes, it was the most satisfactory performance it was ever to finish. Sir Thomas Lipton and Designer Watson, both of whom were on board the yacht during her trial, expressed themselves as perfectly satisfied with the result. In sailing about eight miles dead to windward against a 2-knot tide, she covered the distance in 57 minutes, and the reach back of six miles in forty minutes. The wind was fresh and fairly steady from about south by east, and of from 10 to 12 knots strength. The yacht carried mainsail, fore and main, and the sails were set, the yacht's anchor was down. After the yacht's anchor was down, Sir Thomas Lipton and Designer Watson, both of whom were on board the yacht during her trial, expressed themselves as perfectly satisfied with the result. 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municipal limits of Vancouver than
within those of Victoria. The reference
to the Victoria suburbs was to
show that unless these are taken into ac-
count it is impossible to correctly ap-
preciate the importance of this centre of
population. While there may be under
21,000 people residing within the munici-
pal limits of Victoria, there are nearly
a third as many more who are Victo-
rians at all intents and purposes. The
four thousand mentioned as indicated by
the Directory do not include the naval
and military population at Esquimalt or
Work Point, and yet these are as much
a part of the population of Victoria as
if they lived within the city limits. We
fancy that it could be demonstrated
that this is the largest centre of popula-
tion in the province, but we are not con-
cerned about that. All we wish to do
is to show the people of Victoria, and
such others as may be supposed to be
interested, that the figures of the Census,
even conceding them to be absolutely
accurate, which is unlikely, do not give
a correct idea of what Victoria is, either
from the standpoint of population or
business. Of course a similar observa-
tion may be made in regard to Vancou-
ver, but it will necessarily be much more
limited in its application, the relation
of the suburbs of that city to the munici-
pality not being nearly as important
as those of Victoria's suburbs to this
city. But we repeat that we have no
desire to make comparisons. Vancou-
ver is the larger city of the two, and we
have only congratulations for our neigh-
bor upon its growth. Indeed, we thought
it had grown much more.

NEED FOR A CHANGE.

In the old form of oath that used to
be administered to justices of the peace
and other crown officers, the person tak-
ing it swore that he believed "no foreign
prince, prelate or potentate, hath or
ought to have power or dominion within
these realms." The object of such an
oath was to see that only such persons
held office as were loyal to the institu-
tions of the nation. The person chiefly
aimed at in the oath was the Pope, who
was supposed to be instant in season
and out of season in his efforts to bring
the kingdom under his sway. We were
told then, and by the people who claim-
ed to be liberal and progressive in their
thoughts and aims, that it would be an
insufferable thing to permit the people
of Britain to be subjected even in the
slightest degree to a power not respon-
sible to them. It was the boast of those
days that the British people were suf-
ficient to themselves, that the British
Constitution was equal to all demands
upon it, and that a man was safe in his
person, estate and civil rights by trust-
ing to the institutions within the realm.
In this latter day we are seeing a
change. A very large number of peo-
ple look for protection, not to themselves
nor to the institutions of their country,
but to aliens and foreign influences. To
be explicit, we may point to the case of
the trackmen's strike on the Canadian
Pacific. We have repeatedly declined
to express any opinion upon the merits
of this strike, except in a very general
way, but when we are told that the only
obstacle to a settlement is the refusal
of one man, who is not and never was
an employee of the company, and there-

fore can have no grievance against it,
who is not and never was a British sub-
ject, who is not and never was a resi-
dent of Canada, and who knows nothing
about British institutions, but whose
opinions are based upon the working of
the inelastic rules of the Constitution of
the United States, we think it time to
express a very decided opinion, and it is
that if there is no law to prevent
alien busy-bodies from interfering with
the affairs of the people of the Dominion,
it is time one was enacted. There is no
more reason why an alien should be per-
mitted to go through this country sow-
ing the seeds of industrial confusion,
than there is why he should be allowed
to preach sedition. The proper place
for such people is behind good stone
walls. If a Canadian, who is a British
subject, wishes to take any course which
in his opinion is requisite in order to
protect himself and others like him from
oppression, we will not say a word, pro-
vided he draws the line at violence or
intimidation, or, in other words, as long
as he uses his own freedom so that he
does not interfere with the freedom of
others; but for the alien demagogue we
have no toleration whatever, and we sub-
mit it to be the duty of the federal gov-
ernment to introduce into parliament
and pass a law to deal rigorously with
such mischief-makers.

THE AMERICA'S CUP.

Sir Thomas Lipton had a fine reception
in New York. He deserved it, for he is
a fine fellow. He has pluck, liberality
and withal modesty to recommend him.
He loses like a gentleman, and if he
wins he will win like one. It is im-
possible not to admire a man like Lip-
ton, whose ability in the business world
is as conspicuous as his enthusiasm in
yachting. Every one in Canada hopes
he will win. It has been pointed out
that a challenger necessarily is handi-
capped. The America went across the
Atlantic under her own canvas and won
the cup, and it is a part of the conditions
of the race that every challenger shall
come to this Continent under her own
canvas. The rule has been relaxed suf-
ficiently to permit of the yacht taking a
few under certain conditions, but even
then it is evident that a vessel that is
fit for a trans-Atlantic cruise is some-
thing more than a mere racing machine.
On the other hand, the defenders can
be built without taking into account their
ability to make a long sea voyage. To
what extent this possible difference in
construction may be a handicap upon
the challenger we do not profess to
know, and perhaps no one can say with
certainty. We only know that it is said
to have that effect.

The coming race will attract even
more attention than any of the preced-
ing ones, and largely because Sir
Thomas Lipton has come back for a
second trial. All the world loves a man
who has the courage to try again. Sir
Thomas says he wants good sailing
breezes. There speaks the British sail-
or. No drifting for him. He wants to
see the white caps on the waves, and a
wet deck has no terrors for him. May
the breezes blow and may Shamrock
carry the cup back with her!

A PRETTY PROBLEM.

The United States judge in Honolulu
has decided that all Chinese born in
Hawaii, no matter under what govern-
ment, have become citizens of the United
States by virtue of the acquisition of
those islands. This presents a very pre-
tious problem. We are not sure, if the
ruling is sustained by the Supreme Court
of the United States, that it will not
convert a large number of Chinamen in
the United States into citizens of that
country. For example, the act declar-
ing the Territory of Washington a state
says that all the residents of a certain
piece of territory are thereby declared to
constitute the State of Washington. This
was in 1889, we think. Now there were
a good many Chinamen living in the old
territory of Washington, and it is at
least open to debate if they were not
thereby made citizens of the state and of
the United States.

But be this as it may, if the Hawaiian
Chinamen are United States citizens in
Hawaii, they must be United States
citizens everywhere, and hence there can
be no exclusion act as against them, and
they have the right to go and come as
they please in all parts of Uncle Sam's
dominions. And this is not all. By the
acquisition of the Philippines, the United
States has taken over an assortment
of Tagals, Visayans, Negritos, Chinese
and other bric-a-brac to the number of
7,000,000 people. By virtue of the de-
cision of the Honolulu judge all this
beautiful combination are citizens of
the United States, we presume, and have
a right to go where they like in the do-
minions of Uncle Sam. They have like-
wise the right to vote, to be elected to
Congress, and such of them as happen
to have been born within the dominions
aforesaid are eligible to the presidency.
The probability of a Tagal from Manila
and a Chinaman from Honolulu oppos-
ing each other in a presidential contest
is doubtless remote, but if Judge Este-
ee reads the law right, it would seem to
be legally possible. We wish our neigh-
bors all the enjoyment that is to be got
out of the very pretty problem which the
Honolulu decision creates.

In the far Eastern province of New
Brunswick, and on a certain country
road, there is a place where persons
familiar with the road always used to
tro their horses no matter how dark it
might be. "We are coming to Ester-
brooks' now, and we can trot," the driver
would say, though he may not now,
for Esterbrooks is dead and gone, and
perhaps his sons do not walk in his
footsteps. The reason of this was be-
cause Esterbrooks always took care to
see that the road in front of his farm
was kept in good shape. He kept a
sharp lookout, and when he saw the sur-
face broken, repaired it, and when he
saw the drains getting clogged, opened
them. This he did simply out of good
citizenship, and he used to say that it
did not take twenty-four hours in a
year to keep the road in good shape.
"Reader, go thou and do likewise," if
not in the actual carriage way, at least
on the sides of the roads, where rubbish
is apt to accumulate. If you do this
your name will be exalted in the land.

MR. RICHARDSON, EX-M.P.

Mr. R. L. Richardson, until recently a
member of the House of Commons from
Lisgar, Manitoba, and a politician who
describes himself as an Independent Lib-
eral, has written a letter complaining
bitterly that Sir Wilfrid Laurier could
have stopped all proceedings against him
for bribery and corruption, and did not.
Sir Wilfrid replies in a very sar-
castic tone, and informs Mr. Richardson
in effect that he is a fraud of the first
water. "People will now understand,"
says the usually urbane Premier, "your
shrieks against political rebauchery." The
point of this observation lies in the
fact that Mr. Richardson was proved to
have always posed as an opponent of
"corporate influences." Not very many
politicians have been as badly sat upon
as the late member for Lisgar has been
by the man whom he regarded in a sort
of way as his political chief. He repre-
sents a class of parasites in public life,
men with a certain kind of address and
a certain degree of ability, who levy a
species of blackmail upon corporations
and wealthy individuals. They make
great professions of independence in
public, and do the dirty work of their
masters in private. Most people know
the breed. They are always ready to
shriek out against the alleged oppressors
of the people, but they are also careful
to see nothing is done that will injure
those whom they condemn. The name
of the dear people is ever on their
tongue, and the dollars of the bloated
corporations are ever in their pockets.
They are catholic in their views. To-
day they will accept funds from one
company, tomorrow from another. All's
ish that comes to their net. But when
the dollars come out of this corporation
or out of that, they have always
on tap a lot of demagogic palaver about
the rights of the people, with which they
are able to some extent to deceive a cer-
tain class of voters. Mr. Richardson is
not unique. "There are others."

Some correspondents have a habit of
sending us letters written on very broad
sheets of paper. This is exceedingly in-
convenient to handle. It is surely not
unreasonable to ask those who favor
newspapers with their views, to use pa-
per of ordinary width. We had a letter
some time ago from a man, who used a
sheet of wrapping paper, and wrote
across it the longest way. It floated
gently into the waste-basket, and the
writer was so mad about it that he
made a speech on a certain occasion
about twenty minutes long, in which he
expressed very emphatic views about the
Colonist. Another notion which some
people have is that newspapers will
preserve their letters indefinitely, when
they are not printed. No paper pro-
fesses to do anything of the kind. If a
correspondent does not find his letter
printed the day after he sends it in,
and wants it back again, he had better
waste no time in asking for it.

Not this year, of course, and probably
not next, but certainly within a very
few years something will have to be
done to protect the bank along the Dal-
las Road between Menzies and Oswego
streets, and perhaps even a little further
west, from the encroachment of the sea.
A cribwork extending along at high tide,
that is at the very highest point reached
by the waves when the highest tides
are in, with the bank cut down to an
angle of repose, would probably be all
that is necessary. If the incline thus
formed could be seeded to grass of some
variety that will stand the salt winds,
the result would be so much the better.
If nothing of this kind is done, it will
only be a few years before the sea will
have worked its way back to the road-
way and one of the prettiest walks to be
found anywhere will be a thing of the
past.

The Toronto Globe draws attention to
the fact that Manitoba, the Territories
and British Columbia are gaining more
rapidly in population, relatively, than
the corresponding parts of the United
States. Thus Oregon and Washington
increased 45 per cent., while British
Columbia gained over 100 per cent., and
the comparison might be carried fur-
ther.

The story that the Czar is going to
intervene in South Africa is doubtless
 rubbish. Russia does not want a first-
class war on her hands, with a famine
threatening half her European posses-
sions and Japan ready to drive her from
the Pacific Coast of Asia.

The fact that the Flossie, a short time
before the Islander went down, saw a
low-lying ice-berg in the track followed
by the steamers from Skagway, makes it
absolutely needless to suggest that the
steamer was out of her course and
struck a rock.

Mr. Fisher would act wisely to let the
Census of 1891 alone. No matter what
his special returns seem to establish,
no one will accept them as worthy any-
thing at all.

HONOR TO WHOM HONOR.

To the Editor.
Sir.—In your issue of Tuesday last, there
appeared a letter describing a trip from
Victoria to Sidney, and thence by steamer
through the Gulf Islands. Of the trip
itself, and of the enjoyment of those
present, and of the courtesy of the Victoria
& Sidney Railway company, and of the
captain, not one word is said which is
not amply borne out by the facts, but when
you kindly request us to correct
some statements which might mislead.
The little church of St. Mary Magda-
lene, which stands by the corner of "The
Pass," half way from Victoria to Van-
couver, was designed by Mr. J. C. Keith
of this city, who, you may remember, was
the prize taker in the open competition for
plans of a new cathedral; and was built
by Mr. W. C. Plummer, Pass. The
interior, of native oak, and the fitting
and decoration of the interior, is also the work
of Mr. Keith, and in point of excellence,
leaving nothing to be desired, being at the
same time, simple and unpretentious, as
the furniture of a little church should be.
The fact is, we described the church in
response to a letter, and was pointed out to
me by Mr. Gregerson of East Point Light-
house, where it is now being erected. Of the
faith and devotion needed to carry out
a work in which I have found so many
with only willing but not only willing
show a list of subscribers from which few
names are absent, and which might be
expected to lend their help to the building
of a place of worship in a district in which
a church is so much needed. It is largely
provided by outside help. In the dis-
trict itself I have met with very much
which makes faith in the cause of "The
Pass." W. P. L. FADDON.

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you can get Jesse Moore whiskey at all
times and places?

THE MILKWOMAN.

From London Spectator.
She was tall and strong, and she walked
along
With a firm, substantial tread,
Like one who knows that wherever she
goes
She is earning her daily bread.
Her frock was plain, and there was not a
flair
In the whole of her simple dress
Of that milliner's touch which adds so much
To a lady's coquetry.

Yet she is aware that her face is fair:
But she also understands that
The best of her charms are her stout
red arms
And her strong, hard-working hands.
"It's them," says she, "as has work'd for
me.
Wherever my work has been:
And as for my face, why, it's no disgrace.
For I reckon it's always clean."

"Well, there is Jack, I know, he bothers
But what do I care for him?
I'll not be bothered by a lad that's gay,
So long as I've life and limb!"
"Such claps may do for a wench like you,
As is fond of an easy life;
But if I get a man, I shall do what I can
For to make him a working wife."

She smiled as she spoke, and she settled her
frock
On the back of her shoulders broad.
And she stooped to her pails by the area
And harnessed herself to her load.

Then she went on her beat through the
bustling street
With a step like a martial man's;
A step that suited her iron-shod boots
And the weight of her clanking cans.

For her cans and she had the bulk of three,
And deftly as she might steer,
'Twas the silent might of her strength and
her height
That kept the pathway clear.

There were many who eyed her stately
stride
As she moved through the rattling crowd,
With her hands on her hips and a smile on
her lips.
And a look both calm and proud.

But none or few of the gazers knew
The worth of her humble trade;
And heavy alone may never alone
For the lot of a milkmaid's maid.

They could not see what was clear to me-
That the loftiest heart should be
Might own the part in Dame Nature's
heart
Which is owned by Kitty Clare.

THINGS YOU CAN'T DO.

You can't stand for five minutes without
moving if you are hindered.
You can't stand at the side of a room
with both of your feet touching the walls
without lengthwise.
You can't get out of a chair without bend-
ing your body forward or putting your foot
under it—that is, if you are sitting square-
ly on the chair.
You can't crush an egg when placed
lengthwise between your hands—that is,
if the egg is sound and has the ordinary
size of a hen's egg.

You can't break a match if the match
is laid across the ball of the middle finger
of your hand and pressed upon by the first
and third fingers of the same hand, though
it may seem easy at first sight.

THE SUMMER OF 1816.

If the recollections of the Danville Ill.,
Yates are not at fault, that summer cannot
strictly speaking be said to have ever set
in. Along in April, when the garden should
have been exhibiting signs of active life,
the snow on the ground was from four to
six feet deep, and frozen solid for half its
depth. In May only the surface of it had
melted, and the ground could not be reached
for planting purposes except by tunnel-
ing. In June the snow had disappeared,
but the ground was still frozen hard, and
along towards the latter part of the month
another fall occurred which made sleighing
good in Danville and vicinity for several
days.

On the morning of July 4th water froze
in the wells and pitchers of the early set-
tlers, and there was excellent skating on
the neighborhood ponds. Snow fell towards
noon and the usual Independence Day ex-
ercises were held in a church warmed by
blazing log fires, and were participated in
by men and women in mid-winter clothing.
The spring, when it came in reality, was
so short and severe that no vegetation could
thrive in it. In August the corn, which had
struggled against adverse circumstances,
went to tassel so early that it was useless
except as fodder. Corn from other parts
of the country brought in at exorbitant
prices, and the ground could not be used in
the spring of 1817 farmers were obliged to
provide themselves with corn grown in
other parts of the country. The corn was
sold at \$17 a barrel.

As a matter of fact there was no summer
in the history of Danville in 1816 and the
dies of the Danville News for that period
prove that the weather experts in the
past attributed the extraordinary meteorological
conditions to spots on the sun, just
as they are doing now.

The public health was never better.
Famines, epidemics, and following the
severe summer were intensely cold, and, as
the people in those days knew none of the
advantages of modern diets and were
wholly ignorant of comforts derived from
contact with the modern laundry, their suf-
ferings, it will be supposed, must of neces-
sity have been intense.

The public health was never better.
There were no usual epidemics, and the
crops everywhere. Although the crops
were a failure, the spirits of the people
never dropped, and the worst of the
winter was a corn producer never weakened.
The sturdy pioneers and first settlers went
about their business just as usual.

Four costly cradles.
The cradle which the good people of Rome
have presented to the King and Queen of
Italy, is a very elaborate production. The
cradle proper is made of iron, while its
supporters are of solid brass.

A heavy column at the head is decorated
with Roman trophies, the column being
surmounted by a figure of Victory with
a wreath of olive and oak. This figure rises
to a height of six feet, and is upheld by
four lions, connected by the arms of the
four districts of the Eternal City.

At the foot stands a female figure, the
genius of the house of Savoy, which winces
as if it were in pain. The cradle, be-
tween the two figures the cradle is swung.
It is elliptical in form and is covered with
an intricate and beautiful design. The cradle
was designed by Italy's most eminent
sculptor, and is very valuable.

A cradle worth more than its weight in
gold is that which was presented by Queen
Victoria to the Duke and Duchess of Corn-
wall and York. It was made for the Prin-
cess Royal in the year 1840 and all Queen
Victoria's babies were cradled in it.

The sheets are of fine Irish linen, edged
with Valenciennes lace, and the blankets
are of the warmest and lightest Spanish
wool. The present King and Queen have,
in the past, used this cradle for each of their
children.

The Paris Exposition was to be seen
the cradle which the infant son of the
son of Napoleon the Great, by his second
marriage was rocked to sleep. This is said
to have cost slightly more than \$224, but
its value as a royal relic is probably con-
siderably greater.

The Princess of Monaco was once the
resident of a very handsome cradle, which
cost between \$500 and \$600. It was pre-
sented to the Princess by her relative, the
late Duke of Hamilton, and was of British
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DOMESTICATION OF THE ZEBRA.

In a report issued by the foreign of-
fice on veterinary work in British East
Africa and Uganda Protectorates, there
is an interesting note by R. J. Sturdy on
the domestication of the zebra. Mr.
Sturdy believes that the zebra, which is
immune to the ravages of the tsetse fly
and horse sickness, and which exists in
enormous numbers in Africa, could be do-
mesticated and used not only for African
service, but also for army transport
work at home and in India. He appar-
ently gives up the idea of domesticating
the adult animal as an impossibility and
proposes to solve the problem by contin-
ing, say fifty adults in a kraal, where
they would be allowed to breed. As it
has been found almost impossible to rear
a zebra foal apart from its mother, the
young would not be separated from their
parents, and would be accustomed to the
sight and presence of man and of horses
and mules. A second generation would
probably be more tractable than the
first, and Mr. Sturdy believes that the
experiment, although costly at first,
would have most valuable results.—
Chambers' Journal.

Urban—Why, old man, those chickens of
yours are regular game cocks. What
makes them such fighters?
Suburban—I'm sure I don't know, unless
it comes from feeding them scraps—De-
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SOME MILITARY ABSURDITIES

Comical Findings By the Committee on British Army Clothing.

From Cassell's Journal.

The committee on army clothing which sits at Pall Mall takes itself much too seriously ever to dream of indulging in wanton humor. Nevertheless, many of its regulations appear rather whimsical to the mere civilian, and one or two examples may afford our readers a little amusement. As early as 1804 it was decided that for real soldiering a field marshal's spurs ought to be made of steel. A very considerable footnote, however, was added to the army order, to the effect that "brass spurs may continue in use until worn out." This act of consideration for a warrior whose pay is £16 8s. 9d. per diem has doubtless diverted our latest field marshal, the German Emperor. Another curious regulation is that the sword used by the Commander-in-Chief of the British Empire, "when employed upon ballooning duties," are required to provide themselves with hunting spurs.

Much leniency is also shown to officers in the matter of their swords. A full-blown general ought to possess two, one of them being a scimitar with an ivory handle for full dress, while for undress uniform the general is supposed to carry the sword which he used when in charge of a regiment. If, however, he likes to sell this, he is quite at liberty to do so, and to use his full-dress scimitar on all occasions. Most of us remember the excitement in military circles when the sword used by the Commander-in-Chief was sold by the Duke of Devonshire. This is a frequent occurrence, and a Royal Engineer must provide himself with a strong blade, able, when held upright, to bear a weight of 22 pounds without breaking. Cavalry officers, however, are supposed to do more delicate work, and the breaking strain of their swords need only be 28 pounds, while general officers are not supposed to go into the thick of the fight, and the weight with which their scimitars are tested is only 10 pounds.

An amusing instance of the great foresight displayed by the authorities is to be found in the Army Order promulgated in the Diamond Jubilee year for the new uniform of the A. D. C.'s to the Sovereign. Their tunics are distinguished from those of other officers on the staff by having on each side a row of eight loops of scarlet braid. But the side-camp is a favored mortal who is likely to receive promotion before very long, and it is therefore commanded in a special clause, that these loops "are not to be pierced through the cloth, but carried to the front edge and turned in." Why? Because when he is promoted the A. D. C. has only to rip off these loops, and, lo and behold! without a farthing of expense, he is provided with his tunic as a general officer. There is a fashion in collars even among military men, and the latest shape consists of a cloth band two inches wide, with square points. The war office, however, even in this important detail, does not wish to get the neck of the tunic, and officers are at liberty to go on wearing their old-fashioned collars, if they desire to do so, until the end of the year 1904. The only soldiers who are allowed to wear white tunics are the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th, 101st, 102nd, 103rd, 104th, 105th, 106th, 107th, 108th, 109th, 110th, 111th, 112th, 113th, 114th, 115th, 116th, 117th, 118th, 119th, 120th, 121st, 122nd, 123rd, 124th, 125th, 126th, 127th, 128th, 129th, 130th, 131st, 132nd, 133rd, 134th, 135th, 136th, 137th, 138th, 139th, 140th, 141st, 142nd, 143rd, 144th, 145th, 146th, 147th, 148th, 149th, 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WANTED—Servant, small family, good home, \$18.00. Apply P. O. Box 427, a22

WANTED—General servant. Apply 129 Quadra street, a21

WANTED—A woman to look after children. Apply Mrs. J. Purdy, 160 Douglas St., a20

WANTED—Girl to assist in second work. Apply Mrs. Leuz, 97 Cook, between 10 and 12, a18

WANTED—A good housemaid. Mrs. P. B. Pemberton, Mountford, Foul Bay Road, a12

WANTED—A young woman for a dry goods store. Apply Dry Goods, Colist of Bce, a128

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED—Situation; good writer, over three years' experience in general office work. References. Miss H. Mackenzie, Box 702, Rossland, a20

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD.

WANTED—Room and board by young man. Address J. N., Colist office, a21

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—At Eden's Junk Store, 125 Fort street, old copper, brass, bottles, sacks, etc. Quantities will be called for. a23

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SEWING MACHINES—All makes repaired or taken in exchange for new Sincers. Will rent good machines \$2 per month. S. B. Sutton, 55 Fort street, a13

TO LET—ROOM AND BOARD.

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TO LET—Furnished room or part of house, near Cook and North Park streets. Address F. G., Colist office, a18

TO LET—Furnished housekeeping rooms at Elsmere House, 104 Pandora street. Apply 154 Quadra street, a10

TO LET—Bright, sunny furnished front room for lady, 76 Kane street, a1

TO LET—Comfortably furnished rooms with or without board. Apply 51 Vancouver, a126

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Wire haired fox terrier pup, white, with tan marking. Strayed from Mr. Wode's residence, Esplanade road, August 21. Any information leading to the dog's whereabouts will be rewarded, a23

LOST—\$5.00 reward. Small diamond stud, H. L. Salmon, 106 Government street, a23

LOST—Brass carriage hub—Reward. Apply B. W. Pearson, Penbrooke, a22

LOST—Umbrella, handle, eagle's head, belonging to Lake Church and Heale's P. O., on Wednesday, 14th inst. Reward on returning to Colist office, a18

LOST—On Friday evening, in Park, or near Cook and North Park streets, gold bracelet with initials L. T. on lock. Finder please leave at Colist office, a11

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WANTED—Partner in good, sound business, established 20 years, income not less than \$500 per month. Apply, a20

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SALE—Well established boot and shoe business, \$2,500, 50 acres of good land, home, 112 acres of land, water, front, 200, 8500. Excellent farm, 200 acres, 200 under crop, less than half its value, \$5,500. A. Williams, 101 Yates street, a23

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FOR SALE—A piano, bank attachment, latest model. Wormuth & Co., Kingston, Ont. by Heintzman & Co., Toronto, at 129 Rock Bay avenue. Apply from 9 to 5 pm. and 6 to 8 pm. on only reason for selling on account of leaving the city, a21

FOR SALE—Light buggy pole cheap. Apply 41 North Park street, a21

FOR SALE—Good organ, nearly new, cheap. Address L. H., Colist office, a18

FOR SALE—Hittencourt's Pleasure Launch in good condition, cheap. For particulars apply to Hittencourt, 118 Yates street, Victoria, B. C., opposite Dominion Hotel, a16

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HANDSOME RESIDENCE—Large modern dwelling in first class condition and water lot. Can also buy adjoining lot cheap. Cost \$900. Price \$3750. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government street, J7

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WHARF STREET—Two fine waterfront lots, exceptionally cheap, \$7,000 for the two. Apply 40 Government street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, a17

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SALT SPRING ISLAND—105 acres, water frontage, good 6-roomed modern dwelling, barns, outhouses, etc., 35 acres under cultivation, 250 trees, balance all good land with heavy timber cut, \$6,500. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government street, a17

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300 ACRES—14 miles from Duncan; will be divided into 20 acre blocks. Price from \$1500 per acre. J. H. Whitmore, Real Estate Agent, Duncan, V. I. a17

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JAMES ISLAND—Of Saanich (one mile) 200 acres, 35 under cultivation, 100 cleared, balance good land; lots of good water, 6 roomed house, barns, etc., can also arrange to buy live stock, steam launch, boats, etc., plenty of fruit trees and other produce. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., a17

CHEAP ACREAGE—160 acres, for \$225. Apply B. C. L. & I. A., Ltd., a17

LOT 120x330—Five minutes from centre of the city, only \$2,200. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, a17

OAK BAY—A few good water lots left. Apply 40 Government street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, a17

ROSS BAY—9 acres, good soil and ready for cultivation. Fine view of the mouth of the Strait. Cheap. Apply 45 Government street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, a17

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marked N. W. P. S. N. E. corner, then due west 80 chains, then south 20 chains, then east 80 chains, then north 20 chains, then west 80 chains to the point of commencement. For Nelson Mining Partnership, July 27th, 1901, a17

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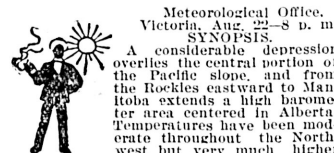
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THE WEATHER.



Meteorological Office.
Victoria, Aug. 22-8 p. m.
SYNOPSIS.
A considerable depression over the central portion of the Pacific slope, and from the Rockies eastward to Manitoba extends a high barometer area centered in Alberta. The weather has been moderate throughout the North-west but very much lighter westward of the Ross mountains, except on the California coast. Fair summer weather has prevailed in general but thunderstorms and occasional showers have occurred in the Territories.

TEMPERATURES. Min. Max.
Victoria.....52 78
New Westminster.....52 78
Rancho.....52 78
Barkerville.....52 78
Calgary.....52 78
Winnipeg.....52 78
Portland, Ore.....52 78
San Francisco, Cal.....52 78

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time).
Friday.
Victoria and vicinity: Moderate or fresh winds, continued fair and warm.
Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds, fair and warm.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.
Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Observations taken daily at 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m.
THURSDAY, AUG. 22.
Deg. Deg.
5 a. m.....52 78
5 p. m.....52 78
Lowest.....52 78

The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m.....4 miles north.
5 p. m.....4 miles northwest.
5 p. m.....4 miles northwest.

Average state of weather—Clear.
Barometer at noon—Observed.....29.97
Corrected.....29.97
NEW WESTMINSTER.
Barometer at 5 p. m.—Corrected.....29.92

VICTORIA TIDES.
For the Month of August, 1901.
(Issued by the Tidal Survey Branch of the Department of the Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.)

The zero of the accompanying scale corresponds to the average lowest yearly tide, and 18.3 feet above the sill of the Esquimalt Dry Dock.

Date.	Day.	Time.	Height.	Time.	Height.	Time.	Height.	Time.	Height.
1	Th	1:59	8.1	7:31	13.7	10:3	21.4	1:59	8.1
2	F	2:12	8.2	7:44	13.8	10:3	21.4	2:12	8.2
3	S	2:25	8.3	7:57	13.9	10:3	21.4	2:25	8.3
4	Sa	2:38	8.4	8:10	14.0	10:3	21.4	2:38	8.4
5	Su	2:51	8.5	8:23	14.1	10:3	21.4	2:51	8.5
6	M	3:04	8.6	8:36	14.2	10:3	21.4	3:04	8.6
7	Tu	3:17	8.7	8:49	14.3	10:3	21.4	3:17	8.7
8	W	3:30	8.8	9:02	14.4	10:3	21.4	3:30	8.8
9	Th	3:43	8.9	9:15	14.5	10:3	21.4	3:43	8.9
10	F	3:56	9.0	9:28	14.6	10:3	21.4	3:56	9.0
11	S	4:09	9.1	9:41	14.7	10:3	21.4	4:09	9.1
12	Sa	4:22	9.2	9:54	14.8	10:3	21.4	4:22	9.2
13	Su	4:35	9.3	10:07	14.9	10:3	21.4	4:35	9.3
14	M	4:48	9.4	10:20	15.0	10:3	21.4	4:48	9.4
15	Tu	5:01	9.5	10:33	15.1	10:3	21.4	5:01	9.5
16	W	5:14	9.6	10:46	15.2	10:3	21.4	5:14	9.6
17	Th	5:27	9.7	10:59	15.3	10:3	21.4	5:27	9.7
18	F	5:40	9.8	11:12	15.4	10:3	21.4	5:40	9.8
19	S	5:53	9.9	11:25	15.5	10:3	21.4	5:53	9.9
20	Sa	6:06	10.0	11:38	15.6	10:3	21.4	6:06	10.0
21	Su	6:19	10.1	11:51	15.7	10:3	21.4	6:19	10.1
22	M	6:32	10.2	12:04	15.8	10:3	21.4	6:32	10.2
23	Tu	6:45	10.3	12:17	15.9	10:3	21.4	6:45	10.3
24	W	6:58	10.4	12:30	16.0	10:3	21.4	6:58	10.4
25	Th	7:11	10.5	12:43	16.1	10:3	21.4	7:11	10.5
26	F	7:24	10.6	12:56	16.2	10:3	21.4	7:24	10.6
27	S	7:37	10.7	1:09	16.3	10:3	21.4	7:37	10.7
28	Sa	7:50	10.8	1:22	16.4	10:3	21.4	7:50	10.8
29	Su	8:03	10.9	1:35	16.5	10:3	21.4	8:03	10.9
30	M	8:16	11.0	1:48	16.6	10:3	21.4	8:16	11.0
31	Tu	8:29	11.1	2:01	16.7	10:3	21.4	8:29	11.1

GAZETTE NOTICES.
A Few Matters of Minor Importance Dealt With in Current Issue.

Tenders will be received by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to Wednesday next, according to a notice in yesterday's issue of the Gazette, for the erection of an additional room to the Moyie school house.

The council of public instruction has established a new school district to be known as the Hatzic Lake school district, and this has necessitated changes in the boundaries of the Mission, Burton and Fernside districts.

The Beaverfield Township Company, Limited, and the Gulf Steamship & Trading Company have been incorporated, and the Societe Miniere de la Colombie Britannique has been registered as an extra-provincial company.

A meeting of the shareholders of the Selkirk Road Company has been called for September 10th to consider a resolution to dispose of the company's property.

J. H. Currie of Trout Lake, and Cecil Smith of Agassiz, have been appointed justices of the peace.

THE COMING POPE.

(The Spectator.)

The Pope has in recent years always been an American pope, for example, would be like a housemaid in a roomful of Chinese, always waiting to dust, and breaking some of the furniture out of pure zeal, but there is no reason in the theory of the election why he should not be a saintly negro from Baltimore. But the final reason is the loss of energy and adhesiveness which would be sufficient to render it impossible for him to lead the Church. Every profession needs to be led by a man of energy, and probably, as every sucking barometer dreams of the woodcock, so every priest dreams at his ordination at that far distant but shining time. It is well for the human system that it should be so, for otherwise the mediocrity of the present would be the mediocrity of the future. The up of their one and indivisible Church into "national" fragments, might be revived in greater force. Whether it would be good for the world or bad it is not for the heretics to decide, but it certainly would, for one thing, impair the coherence of the Latin races. We venture to predict that the next Conclave will not be guided by any recommendation from Leo XIII, but will select with extreme rapidity the Italian cardinal who, being the closest of his kind, made the fewest votes. After all, the cardinals are the picked men of their profession, and just as likely to choose well from their point of view as the English statesmen of cabinet rank. The latter choose the premier, and for the most part choose men who can do the work. We can recall in English history since the revolution but two distinctly inferior premiers, and both of them were selected by the royalty rather than co-opted. We shall have no Bute or Addington on the throne of Hildebrand.

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up as well as she should, though we shall have to see her under sail in a 12-knot breeze before the matter can be determined. But an end view of the hull seems to show that she will stand up like a lance and frost the patriotic baronets, too. For there is an ample flare in the hull above water. She flares like a saucer aloft, or like a skimming-dish, say! It is a most remarkable feature of the boat.

Now with heavy lead ballast in the keel of such a boat, the tendency of the wind as it strikes her sails, is to push all that part of the hull that is above water down into the water, and not to lift the lead keel up. A 90-footer must keep her rail under before she lifts her keel an inch, and flaring hull of this kind will therefore necessarily stand up better than one with either vertical or tumble-home sides. Shamrock I. tumbled home somewhat.

How did it happen then that the Shamrock I. was able in the earlier trials to beat the new boat? With this new boat under one's eyes the fact that the old Shamrock was able to do so even once is simply astounding, but an ample explanation is not far away.

First of all Shamrock I. had been tried out and tuned up until at her best, and her best was unquestionably better than when she met Columbia. It took a right good ship to beat her, and a good ship in tune at that. But Shamrock II. was not handicapped alone by having her rigging and sails unadjusted. Her mast was not in exactly the right place, as was her keel. The new ship was set further forward, as I learn on good authority, but how far forward I did not learn. Sound reason for supposing that the mast was too far aft at first is found on looking at the main boom. Here is a spar said to be 117 feet long. This seems incredible, but an employee in the Erie Basin warehouse assured me it was so. Her mast is 150 feet long, of which perhaps 10 feet bury under the deck. The mainsail which such spars as those will spread (even if the boom is 117 feet) is enormous. The sail must be 7 feet longer on the foot than anything on this side of the big water is the boom is 117 feet long. That Mr. Watson should have set such a huge sail as that 20 feet aft is entirely reasonable.

There is still some rule-of-thumb work in designing—especially in adjusting the hull. One effect of getting the sails to far aft was to make her carry a weather helm. She steered like a brute, beyond doubt. And with the sail too far aft it was impossible to trim it in as close as was needed when by the wind. I have no need to say that her sails have been perfectly adjusted. At any rate it is certain that she is much faster than the old boat now, and it is further apparent that she will steadily improve under the work that will be given her between now and September 21.

Judging from English reports, we thought Shamrock II. an easy one. Judging by what can be seen of her above water, the most cheerful optimist of all the baronets is full of apprehension.

STREET RAILWAY.

Extracts From the Report of Directors for Last Year.

The report of the directors of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company for the ending March 31, presented at the annual meeting on August 22, shows that the gross receipts for the year were \$496,796, an increase over the preceding year of \$46,174. As the working expenses were \$297,595, an increase of \$43,445, the net earnings were \$199,201, or only \$2,729 in excess of those of the last year. The directors state that while the business showed a satisfactory increase, exceptional circumstances prevented the company realizing the full benefit from the circumstances. There was great delay in getting the new machinery installed, resulting in increased cost in operation of the business, whilst inclement weather in the winter also entailed additional expense. With the completion of the new plant in Vancouver and Victoria, considerable economies in operating will be secured.

Including the amount brought forward from last year of \$132 95, 11d., the net profit for the year is \$375,533 4s. 6d. Dividend interest requires \$11,250; dividend on preference shares of 5 per cent, \$5,000; dividend on ordinary shares of 4 per cent, and income tax, \$8,421 1s.; capital amortisation account, \$5,000; and reserve for depreciation, \$5,000, leaving balance carried forward of \$41,135, 10d. The directors expect to gross earnings for the year was \$95,574 as compared with \$93,890 in 1900 and \$63,929 in 1899.

The earnings of the railway for the year were as follows: Vancouver, \$110,000; New Westminster, \$80,181; Victoria, \$97,973; the lighting department, the earnings were: Vancouver, \$131,259; Victoria, \$67,943.

The number of lights in operation is as follows: Arns, 421; 32 c. p., 1,282; 24 c. p., 476; 16 c. p., 25,003; 10 c. p., 10,143; 6 c. p., 11,190; total, 58,385.

expenditure on capital account during the year was \$186,780.74.

NANAIMO MARKET.

Means to be Devised to Make it a Success.

Nanaimo, Aug. 22.—(Special.)—A mass meeting of the Farmers' Institute, Board of Trade and city council was held last night to discuss the question of the market, which has been opened here. After a full discussion of the matter it was decided on motion of Mr. J. H. Hawthornthwaite, M. P., to hold a mass meeting during the time of the exhibition, and devise means for making it a success. Should it prove successful, the city council seem disposed to provide more suitable buildings for the purpose.

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